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Children's Television Programming Report

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General Information

Section	Question	Response
Attachments	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	No

Applicant  
Information

Applicant Name, Type, and Contact Information

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Children's  
Television  
Information

Section	Question	Response
Station Type	Station Type	Network Affiliation
	Affiliated network	FOX
	Nielsen DMA	Los Angeles
	Web Home Page Address	WWW.FOXLA.COM

Digital Core  
Programming

Question	Response
State the average number of hours of Core Programming per week broadcast by the station on its main program stream	3.0
State the average number of hours per week of free over-the-air digital video programming broadcast by the station on other than its main program stream	0.0
State the average number of hours per week of Core Programming broadcast by the station on other than its main program stream. See 47 C.F.R. Section 73.671:	0.0
Does the Licensee provide information identifying each Core Program aired on its station, including an indication of the target child audience, to publishers of program guides as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.673?	Yes
Does the Licensee certify that at least 50% of the Core Programming counted toward meeting the additional programming guideline (applied to free video programming aired on other than the main Yes No program stream) did not consist of program episodes that had already aired within the previous seven days either on the station's main program stream or on another of the station's free digital program streams?	Yes

Digital Core Programs(6)

Digital Core Program (1 of 6)	Response
Program Title	XPLORATION EARTH 2050
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	SATURDAYS AT 7AM (7/1/19-9/15/19)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	10
Total times aired	11
Number of Preemptions	1
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	1
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	1
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	What will the world look like in 2050. Where will advancements in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics lead us? Xploration Earth 2050 strives to answer these questions and more with scientists, inventors, doctors, science fiction writers, and creative thinkers. This half hour weekly series, produced primarily for the 13-16 year old target audience will appeal to the whole family. Viewers will be taken on an educational adventure as the show tackles future challenges in everything from transportation to health care to the environment. Xploration Earth 2050 is a half-hour weekly EI series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audience interest in the field of STEM education.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION EARTH 2050
List date and time rescheduled	07/06/2019 01:00 PM

Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-07-06
Episode #	XEAR144
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (2 of 6)		Response
Program Title	XPLORATION NATURE KNOWS BEST	
Origination	Syndicated	
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	SATURDAYS AT 7:30AM (7/1/19-9/15/19)	
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	10	
Total times aired	11	
Number of Preemptions	1	
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	1	
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	1	
Length of Program	30 mins	
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years	
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Produced primarily for the 13-16 target audience, Xploration Nature Knows Best will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. Host and Marine Biologist, Danni Washington, exudes energy as she relates how current technology was inspired by nature, and how modern innovators are continuing with this practice. We will whirl around in airplanes inspired by birds, and in helicopters influenced by the dragonfly, and even jump from a few such vehicles to illustrate how wingsuits were invented based on the flying squirrel. But engineers arent the only scientists looking toward nature. We will also meet with biologists studying the behavior patterns of ants; architects who design living buildings and roboticists who are making their designs bigger, stronger, and faster based on animals. This series will show kids how understanding nature can help them make the next great discovery. After all, nature knows best. Xploration Nature Knows Best is a half-hour weekly EI series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audience interest in the field of STEM education.	

Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes
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Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION NATURE KNOWS BEST
List date and time rescheduled	07/06/2019 01:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-07-06
Episode #	XNAT144
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (3 of 6)	Response
Program Title	XPLORATION OUTER SPACE
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	SATURDAYS AT 8AM (7/1/19-9/15/19)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	7
Total times aired	11
Number of Preemptions	4
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	4
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	4
Length of Program	30 mins

Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Each week our host Emily Calandrelli will take viewers on incredible journeys through space that will both entertain and educate. Ever wonder what it would be like to live in space or on a different planet? Watch our host try to perform every day responsibilities while floating in zero gravity. Explore the challenges that come along with living on a different planet as our host lives like an astronaut in a Mars-like habitat. This new half-hour weekly series produced for the 13-16 target audience will certainly attract viewers of all ages. We will have episodes on space robotics, commercial space tourism, asteroids, and our search for life, among many others. When appropriate, the host will highlight NASA related programs and internships for young students that are relevant to the content we have shown.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

#### Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION OUTER SPACE
List date and time rescheduled	09/01/2019 09:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-08-31
Episode #	XOUTW152
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION OUTER SPACE
List date and time rescheduled	09/01/2019 02:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-09-07
Episode #	XOUTW152
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #3

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION OUTER SPACE



List date and time rescheduled	08/25/2019 07:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-09-14
Episode #	XOUTW151
Reason for Preemption	Sports

**Digital Preemption Programs #4**

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION OUTER SPACE
List date and time rescheduled	07/06/2019 02:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-07-06
Episode #	XOUTW144
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (4 of 6) Response	
Program Title	XPLORATION AWESOME PLANET
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	SATURDAYS AT 8:30AM (7/1/19-9/15/19)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	7
Total times aired	11
Number of Preemptions	4
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	4
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	4
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Our host, Philippe Cousteau, the grandson of legendary Jacques Cousteau, brings boundless energy to every location we visit. Produced primarily for the 13-16 target audience, Xploration Awesome Planet will inspire and educate anyone interested in earth sciences. From magnificent mountains to violent volcanoes, this program takes an in-depth look at the unique and distinct features on planet Earth. We not only visit gigantic glaciers and behold their beauty but also discover why they formed, and how they shaped our landscape. Geological experts share their wisdom with Philippe, as we strive to understand places on the earth, inside the earth, and above the earth.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

#### Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLOATION AWESOME PLANET
List date and time rescheduled	08/25/2019 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-09-14
Episode #	XAWE151
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLOATION AWESOME PLANET
List date and time rescheduled	07/06/2019 02:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-07-06
Episode #	XAWE144
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #3

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLOATION AWESOME PLANET
List date and time rescheduled	09/01/2019 10:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-08-31

Episode #	XAWE152
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Preemption Programs #4

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION AWESOME PLANET
List date and time rescheduled	09/01/2019 02:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-09-07
Episode #	XAWE152
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (5 of 6)	Response
Program Title	XPLORATION DIY SCI
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	SATURDAYS 9:30A (7/1/19-9/15/19)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	5
Total times aired	11
Number of Preemptions	6
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	6
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	6
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years

Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Produced primarily for the 13 16 target audience, XPLOATION DIY Sci will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. Host, science educator, and leader in the field of professional educational training, Steve Spangler, encourages the discovery of scientific concepts through experiments viewers can do at home. With a fun, relaxed attitude, Steve will take viewers through step by step demonstrations of do it yourself experiments that amaze but which also relate back to solid principles of science. For instance, Steve Spangler became nationally known with a video of him dropping the candy Mentos into a bottle of diet soda. It erupts in a geyser of soda. On XPLOATION DIY Sci, Spangler demonstrates the experiment and also explains the science of why, on a molecular level, the soda reacts that way to the candy. XPLOATION DIY Sci is a half hour weekly EI series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audiences interest in the field of STEM education. This series will help kids understand how they can discover the principles of science with items they can find in their very own home.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

#### Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLOATION DIY SCI
List date and time rescheduled	08/25/2019 11:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-09-14
Episode #	XDIY151
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLOATION DIY SCI
List date and time rescheduled	09/01/2019 03:30 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-09-07
Episode #	XDIY152
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #3

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLOATION DIY SCI
List date and time rescheduled	08/11/2019 10:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes

Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-08-10
Episode #	XDIY149
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #4

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION DIY SCI
List date and time rescheduled	07/28/2019 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-07-27
Episode #	XDIY147
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #5

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION DIY SCI
List date and time rescheduled	09/01/2019 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-08-31
Episode #	XDIY152
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #6

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION DIY SCI
List date and time rescheduled	07/14/2019 07:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-07-06
Episode #	XDIY145
Reason for Preemption	Sports

Digital Core Program (6 of 6)		Response
Program Title	XPLORATION WEIRD BUT TRUE	
Origination	Syndicated	

Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	SATURDAYS AT 9AM (7/1/19-9/15/19)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	6
Total times aired	11
Number of Preemptions	5
Number of Preemptions for other than Breaking News	5
Number of Preemptions Rescheduled	5
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Produced primarily for the 13 16 target audience, XPLOATION Weird But True will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. This series, produced in partnership with National Geographic Kids, is hosted by the brother-sister team of Charlie and Kirby Engleman. Charlie is an Ecologist and Kirby is an Artist, and they are both National Geographic Junior Explorers. Together, they share a common curiosity to explore and understand the science behind the world and its wildlife. In this series, Charlie and Kirby explore a new topic each week to uncover the Weird But True science at play all around us. With a mix of graphics and handmade art, this EI series is fun, playful and educational. For instance, in the first episode, our hosts are curious to learn about asteroids and so they set off to explore the biggest meteor crater in the US and meet a real-life meteorite hunter. They also try their hand at tracking down space rocks. Along the way, they discover that meteor crash sites can turn into quicksand. On XPLOATION Weird But True, Charlie and Kirby inspire teens to question the HOW and WHY behind the way our world works, and encourage them to discover answers to their most curious questions. XPLOATION Weird But True is a half hour weekly EI series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audience interest in the field of STEM education. This series will help teens and viewers of all ages learn to question the world around them.
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E /I?	Yes

#### Digital Preemption Programs #1

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLOATION WEIRD BUT TRUE
List date and time rescheduled	09/01/2019 10:30 AM

Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-08-31
Episode #	XWBT152
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #2

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION WEIRD BUT TRUE
List date and time rescheduled	09/01/2019 03:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-09-07
Episode #	XWBT152
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #3

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION WEIRD BUT TRUE
List date and time rescheduled	08/25/2019 11:00 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-09-14
Episode #	XWBT151
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #4

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION WEIRD BUT TRUE
List date and time rescheduled	08/11/2019 09:30 AM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-08-10
Episode #	XWBT149
Reason for Preemption	Sports

#### Digital Preemption Programs #5

Questions	Response
Title of Program	XPLORATION WEIRD BUT TRUE

List date and time rescheduled	07/06/2019 03:00 PM
Is the rescheduled date the second home?	Yes
Were promotional efforts made to notify the public of rescheduled date and time?	Yes
Date Preempted	2019-07-06
Episode #	XWBT144
Reason for Preemption	Sports



Non-Core Educational and Informational Programming (1)

Non-Core Educational and Informational Programming (1 of 1)	Response
Program Title	XPLORATION DIY SCI
Origination	Syndicated
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled:	SUNDAY AT 7:30PM (7/21/19)
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time:	1
Number of Preemptions	0
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	Produced primarily for the 13 16 target audience, XPLORATION DIY Sci will inspire and educate audiences of all ages. Host, science educator, and leader in the field of professional educational training, Steve Spangler, encourages the discovery of scientific concepts through experiments viewers can do at home. With a fun, relaxed attitude, Steve will take viewers through step by step demonstrations of do it yourself experiments that amaze but which also relate back to solid principles of science. For instance, Steve Spangler became nationally known with a video of him dropping the candy Mentos into a bottle of diet soda. It erupts in a geyser of soda. On XPLORATION DIY Sci, Spangler demonstrates the experiment and also explains the science of why, on a molecular level, the soda reacts that way to the candy. XPLORATION DIY Sci is a half hour weekly EI series produced with the intention of increasing and expanding our target audiences interest in the field of STEM education. This series will help kids understand how they can discover the principles of science with items they can find in their very own home.
Does the program have educating and informing children ages 16 and under as a significant purpose?	Yes
Does the Licensee identify the program by displaying throughout the program the symbol E/I?	Yes

Does the Licensee provide information regarding the program, including an indication of the target child audience, to publishers of program guides consistent with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.673?	Yes
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Date and Time Aired:

Questions	Response
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Sponsored Core  
Programming (0)

Liaison Contact

Question	Response
Does the Licensee publicize the existence and location of the station's Children's Television Programming Reports (FCC 398) as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3526(e)(11)(iii)?	Yes
Name of children's programming liaison	JILL BROW-WELLER
Address	1999 S BUNDY DR
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State	CA
Zip	90025
Telephone Number	(310) 584-2000
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Include any other comments or information you want the Commission to consider in evaluating your compliance with the Children's Television Act (or use this space for supplemental explanations). This may include information on any other noncore educational and informational programming that you aired this quarter or plan to air during the next quarter, or any existing or proposed non-broadcast efforts that will enhance the educational and informational value of such programming to children. See 47 C.F.R. Section 73.671, NOTES 2 and 3.	On 7/6/19 the original makegood for a pre-emption earlier the same day, was joined-in-progress and only 5 minutes of the program aired. An additional make-good was scheduled on 7/14/19 at 7:30am and is included in this report as the makegood for the original pre-emption.

Other Matters (1)

Other Matters (1 of 1)	Response
Program Title	NA
Origination	Local
Days/Times Program Regularly Scheduled	NA
Total times aired at regularly scheduled time	1
Length of Program	30 mins
Age of Target Child Audience from	13 years to 16 years
Describe the educational and informational objective of the program and how it meets the definition of Core Programming.	NA

Certification

Question	Response
<p>The undersigned certifies that he or she is (a) the party filing the Children's Television Programming, or an officer, director, member, partner, trustee, authorized employee, or other individual or duly elected or appointed official who is authorized to sign on behalf of the party filing the Children's Television Programming; or (b) an attorney qualified to practice before the Commission under 47 C.F.R. Section 1.23 (a), who is authorized to represent the party filing the Children's Television Programming, and who further certifies that he or she has read the document; that to the best of his or her knowledge, information, and belief there is good ground to support it; and that it is not interposed for delay.</p> <p><b>FAILURE TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OF THE APPLICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ANY FEES PAID</b></p> <p>Upon grant of this application, the Authorization Holder may be subject to certain construction or coverage requirements. Failure to meet the construction or coverage requirements will result in automatic cancellation of the Authorization. Consult appropriate FCC regulations to determine the construction or coverage requirements that apply to the type of Authorization requested in this application.</p> <p>WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM OR ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. Code, Title 18, §1001) AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION AUTHORIZATION (U.S. Code, Title 47, §312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, §503).</p>	
<p>I certify that this application includes all required and relevant attachments.</p>	<p>Yes</p>
<p>I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above.</p>	<p><b>Jill Brow-Weller</b> <i>VP, Programming /Research</i></p> <p>10/03/2019</p>

**Attachments**

No Attachments.